



Great Basin Priority Summary - Based on Most Recent 209's
7/11/21

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Evening Brief

Date: July 11th, 2021

Preparedness Levels & Great Basin Fire Activity (from WFDSS)

Great Basin	PL 3	Light Initial Attack Activity
National	PL 4	New Fires and Acres: 19 fires for 113.34 acres / 8,643 acres Large Fire Growth

Weather Summary:

... Hot and Smokey Conditions Continue ...

... Lightning Increasing Coverage through the Next Few Days ...

... Gusty Winds over Western NV and Southern ID Mon-Tue ...

High pressure will remain in place the next few days with continued very hot and smoky conditions across the area, as smoke from large fires across California and the Pacific Northwest gets pushed eastward across northern Nevada into Idaho, then southward across much of Utah, where the smoke gets trapped and settles. The smoke will help keep temperatures a few degrees lower than they otherwise would be in northern areas, but temperatures will still be 5-105 degrees above normal.

Another surge of monsoon moisture is expected early this week with thunderstorms increasing over the southern half of the Great Basin. Storms will start out drier Monday, but moisture will quickly deepen from south to north, with some wetting rains in the far south by Tuesday...with wetting rains spreading north and eastwards later in the week. High Risk for lightning was added for early this week on the leading edge of where the drier storms may occur.

There will also be some dry, gusty winds of 25-30 mph across parts of western Nevada and southern Idaho Monday/Tuesday, with a weak cold front brushing by to the north.

Fuels/Fire Potential:

... Fuels and Fire Behavior Advisory in effect for Utah, the Arizona Strip and Southern/Eastern/Central Nevada ...

The continued hot and dry weather has caused fire danger values to rapidly increase to the 90th -97th percentile over much of the Geographic Area. However, fuels in the southern third of the Great Basin should moisten significantly by midweek with a deeper push of monsoonal moisture. Areas north of Highway 50 and west of I-15 should remain critically dry through the week, although higher humidity, and clouds/smoke could briefly take the edge off critical fuel dryness in many central areas as well.

Resources:

Aviation within the Great Basin

- 1 VLAT, 2 LATs, 0 CL-415
- 24 SEATs, 2 FB, 8 AA, 0 ASM, 2 LP
- 1 HLCOs
- 10 Type 1 Helicopters / 4 Comm.
- 8 Type 2 Helicopters / 5 Comm.
- 19 Type 3 Helicopters / 11 Comm.

Crews Committed within the Great Basin

- 7 IHCs / 1 Available / 0 R&R
- 9 Type 2IA / 2 Available / 1 R&R

Current Incident Details

Todays Activity (from WFDSS):

Incident Name	Unique Fire Identifier	Size	Status	Latitude	Longitude	Pt. of Origin Sage Grouse Habitat
*Lost	2021-NVHTF-030456	0.1	Controlled 07/11/21	38.43969	-119.4822	NO
*Shoe Buckle	2021-AZASD-000450	0.1	Contained 07/10/21	36.55956	-113.609	NO
*Blind Springs	2021-UTBRS-000489	0.5	Contained 07/10/21	41.79124	-112.282	NO
*Camper	2021-IDSCF-021138	0.1	Not Contained	44.41468	-115.1461	NO
*Chilli	2021-NVCCD-030457	0.69	Controlled 07/10/21	39.63258	-119.7847	OHMA
*Esplin	2021-AZASD-000451	0.1	Controlled 07/11/21	36.21909	-113.354	NO
Mica Loaf	2021-IDPAF-000391	0.5	Contained 07/11/21	44.63844	-116.2476	NO
Caddy Canyon	2021-ID1BN-000118	2	Contained 07/11/21	42.7999	-112.306	NO
Craigs Ranch	2021-AZASD-000452	0.1	Contained 07/11/21	36.44621	-113.1627	NO
Small Horn	2021-UTBRS-000492	0.1	Contained 07/11/21	41.94819	-112.6684	FWS-OCC
Honeymoon	2021-IDSCF-021139	2	Not Contained	44.59361	-115.4057	NO
Sprinkler	2021-UTNES-100165	0.5	Out 07/11/21	40.30938	-109.998	NO
Thrush	2021-IDSIS-000397	0.1	Not Contained	44.88136	-116.2696	NO
Enterprise Assist 01	2021-UTSWS-000453	8.75	Contained 07/11/21	37.56128	-113.7062	NO
Barrel Spring	2021-NVELD-040090	0.1	Contained 07/11/21	39.437633	-115.807333	GHMA
Sage	2021-UTSCS-210291	7.1	Not Contained	38.91461	-112.5012	NO
Bridge	2021-IDTFD-000203	30	Not Contained	42.1763	-113.3455	GHMA
Garsons	2021-NVHTF-030461	60	Not Contained	39.47677	-119.9566	NO
Potters	2021-UTCCD-000457	0.5	Not Contained	37.37767	-113.9679	NO

* Fires occurred previous night, not today

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